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themselves, asking that they might upgrade their profession and require so many hours at an annual convention so that they would give a better service to the public, is there any questions, if not I would ask that it be advanced to E&R.

SPEAKER: Is there any further discussion of the bill? The question is shall LB 52 be advanced from general file to E&R initial, all those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote no. Have you all voted? The Clerk will record the vote.

CLERK: 33 ayes Mr. President, no nays, 16 not voting.

SPEAKER: The bill is advanced. Move to the general file consideration of LB 69.

CLERK: Title read LB 69.

SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes Senator Snyder.

SENATOR SNYDER: Thank you, Mr. President and members of the body, LB 69 was introduced to me by me at the request of the mayor of Omaha. As you know the city has taken over the transient authority within the past year. The intent here is to allow the responsibility for the operation of the transient authority to be vested with the board which would be appointed by the mayor with the confirmation by the Omaha City Council. The one member of our State Public Service Utilities Commission was present, he said the commission has, does not oppose the bill in any way, the primary purpose is to allow the transient authority to make their schedule changes and such items as business as that with their own discretion without having to make a file for the application through the Public Service Commission, then go through the Public Hearing, etc. This would affix the responsibilities solely with the city of Omaha. Mr. President I move that LB 69 be advanced to E&R for initial.

SPEAKER: Is there any further discussion of the bill? Question is shall LB 69 be advanced from general file to E&R initial. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote no. Have you all voted? The Clerk will record the vote.

CLERK: 35 ayes, 1 nay, 13 not voting Mr. President.

SPEAKER: The bill is advanced. Move to the general file for consideration of LB 70. The Clerk will read the title.

CLERK: Title read LB 70.

SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes Senator Snyder.

SENATOR SNYDER: Mr. President, members of the body, in explaining LB 69, I think I also explained it's companion bill LB 70, which does remove from the jurisdiction the public service commission and again the public service commission does not oppose this bill. I move that LB 70 be advanced to E&R initial.

SPEAKER: Any further discussion on the bill? The question is shall LB 70 be advanced from general file to E&R initial. All those in favor vote aye, all those opposed vote no. Once again have you all voted? The Clerk will record the vote.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 1 nay, 19 not voting Mr. President.

SPEAKER: LB 70 is advanced. We move on to the general file consideration of LB 101.

CLERK: Title Read LB 101.